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SUBJECT: SPECIAL EQUIPMENT

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1. PLEASE ADVISE IF FISCAL DATA AUTHORIZED IN PARAGRAPH NO. 3 OF REFERENCED TELEGRAM IS GOOD THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 1976 FOR PURCHASE OF SPECIAL WEAPONS.
2. ARMALITE AR-18S 5.56MM SMG NO LONGER PRODUCED IN THIS COUNTRY. COLT COMMANDO (XM177E2) ALSO NO LONGER PRODUCED.
3. COLT MODEL NO. 653 (SAME AS XM177E2, EXCEPT 14 1/2 INCH BARREL LENGTH) WILL BE AVAILABLE JANUARY 1977 FROM COLT.
4. M16A1 CURRENTLY AVAILABLE FROM MANY SOURCES. SHALL SY/T/SP PROCURE M16A1 NOW OR WAIT UNTIL COLT MODEL NO. 653 BECOMES AVAILABLE IN JANUARY.

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5. PLEASE ADVISE. ROBINSON

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